

IN THE CLAIMS

1-57 (cancelled)

58. (currently amended) A kit, comprising:

a receptacle ~~having~~ comprising:

a body ~~and a~~ containing a cosmetic; and

a neck providing an opening into said body, said neck including a first portion having a first inside diameter and having a first fixing means, and a second portion located between said body of said receptacle and said first portion, said second portion having a second fixing means and a second inside diameter and a second fixing means, wherein said second inside diameter is greater than said first inside diameter; and

~~a shoulder between said first portion and said second portion; and~~

an at least one accessory configured for removable connection to said neck, said accessory including removably fixing onto said neck of said receptacle, wherein said neck includes a shoulder connecting said first portion to said second portion and said accessory includes an assembly skirt that cooperates with said second portion, of said neck; said assembly skirt including a sealing surface having an annular bead that abuts said shoulder when said accessory is connected fixed to said neck; and a row of teeth extending from a first tooth to a last tooth, a distance between said first and said last teeth being greater than a diameter of said first portion of said neck.

59-62. (cancelled)

63. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, ~~wherein said receptacle is adapted to hold contents, and said accessory includes an applicator adapted for use with the contents.~~

64. (cancelled)

65. (currently amended) The kit according to claim ~~63~~104, wherein at least one of said teeth includes ~~a~~at least one dispenser orifice adapted to dispense the contents from said receptacle.

66. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 65, wherein said at least one dispenser orifice is spaced from a free end of said at least one of said teeth.

67. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 66, wherein said at least one dispenser orifice substantially limits a cosmetic to be dispensed from ~~dispensing of the contents from~~ other than between said teeth.

68. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 63, wherein said ~~first and last teeth include~~ applicator includes at least one row of teeth including a pair of end teeth located at the respective ends of said at least one row of teeth, said pair of end teeth having dispenser orifices which face other teeth in others of said at least one row of teeth.

69. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 63, wherein said ~~first and last teeth are devoid of~~ applicator includes at least one row of teeth including a pair of end teeth located at the respective ends of said at least one row of teeth, said end teeth having no dispenser orifices.

70. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 68, wherein ~~the exterior of~~ at least one tooth of said row of teeth located between said first and last pair of end teeth includes a plurality of said dispenser orifices, ~~each of~~ on the exterior of said at least one tooth such that said plurality of dispenser orifices ~~being positioned so as to oppose another~~ are parallel to said at least one row of said teeth.

71. (previously presented) The kit according to claim 70, wherein said plurality of dispenser orifices are located on opposite sides of said at least one tooth.

72. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 70, wherein ~~each~~ all of said teeth located between said ~~first tooth~~ and ~~said last tooth~~ includes pair of end teeth include at least one dispenser orifice.

73. (currently amended) The kit according to claim ~~58~~65, wherein said at least one of said teeth includes a groove extending from a free end of said at least one of said teeth to said at least one dispenser orifice.

74. (currently amended) The kit according to claim ~~63~~104, wherein said applicator includes at least six teeth, each of said teeth including at least one dispenser orifice.

75. (currently amended) The kit according to claim ~~58~~104, wherein said teeth ~~in said row~~ are of substantially the same length.

76. (previously presented) The kit according to claim 63, wherein said applicator is made by molding.

77. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, wherein at least one of said first fixing means or said second fixing means includes a thread, said kit having at least one accessory ~~being~~ adapted for screwing onto said thread.

78. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, wherein at least one of said first fixing means or said second fixing means ~~includes a first~~ comprises at least one snap-fastening member, said kit including at least one accessory ~~having a~~ arranged with at least one complementary snap-fastening member ~~adapted suitable for connection~~ cooperating with said at least one ~~said first~~ snap-fastening member.

79. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, further ~~comprising~~ including at least two accessories, ~~a first one of said accessories being of a~~ of ~~different kind than a second one of said accessories~~ kinds.

80. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 79, wherein ~~said a~~ first ~~accessory of~~ said two accessories is

adapted for cooperating with said first portion of said neck and ~~said a second accessory of said two accessories~~ is adapted for cooperating with said second portion of said neck.

81. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 79, wherein ~~said receptacle is adapted to hold contents, said first accessory a first of said two accessories includes a cap and said a second accessory includes of said two accessories includes an applicator adapted for use with the contents.~~

82. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 79, wherein at least one of said at least two accessories ~~is adapted to cooperate~~ cooperates with said first portion of said neck.

83. (previously presented) The kit according to claim 82, wherein said at least one accessory is selected from the group consisting of a cap, an endpiece, an applicator, and a receptacle.

84. (cancelled)

85. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, ~~further comprising wherein said cosmetic comprises a substance for coloring the hair disposed in said receptacle.~~

86. (currently amended) An applicator, comprising+ fixing means for removably ~~connecting~~ affixing the applicator to a neck of a receptacle, said ~~fixing means~~ applicator including a ~~screw portion adapted to screw fasten the applicator to the neck of the receptacle,~~ an assembly skirt having a free end, and including an annular bead formed on an inside surface of said assembly skirt and spaced from said free end of said assembly skirt ~~and positioned on an inside surface of said assembly skirt,~~ wherein said fixing means is ~~positioned~~ situated between said free end of ~~said assembly skirt~~ and said annular bead.

87-96. (cancelled)

97. (previously presented) The applicator according to claim 86, wherein said annular bead is a sealing bead.

98. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, wherein said shoulder ~~includes~~ comprises a planar annular surface extending ~~outwardly from outside~~ said first portion neck, said shoulder being perpendicular to said neck.

99. (previously presented) The kit according to claim 58, wherein both said first fixing means and said second fixing means include threads.

100. (currently amended) The kit according to claim ~~78~~ 58, wherein said ~~complementary~~ snap-fastening member includes an annular bead.

101. (previously presented) The kit according to claim 58, wherein said receptacle comprises a plastic material.

102. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 58, wherein said accessory is configured for ~~removable connection to~~ removably fixing onto said neck of said receptacle by fastening only on said second fixing means.

103. (currently amended) The kit according to claim 99, ~~further comprising a closure, wherein said threads enable said closure to be connected to said first portion of said neck in a first direction, and said accessory to be connected to said second portion of said neck in said first~~ screw fastening by turning in a same direction.

104. (new) The kit according to claim 63, wherein said applicator includes teeth.

105. (new) The applicator according to claim 86, further comprising screw means for screw fastening said applicator on said neck of said receptacle.

106. (new) The kit according to claim 58, wherein said abutment is achieved through an annular bead.

107. (new) The kit according to claim 58, wherein said accessory does not include a sealing lip that abuts an inside of said neck of said receptacle.